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OHIO'S 37TH MOVES INTO FIELD



Maj. Frank H. Ladd, of the 1st Battle Group of the 166th Infantry points to the 'field' area as Maj. Jesse J. Trotter looks on. All are from Columbus, Ohio.

Letter To Summer Residents

Drive For Funds To Build A New Crawford Co. Library Underway

A meeting of the committee to build a new library building for the Crawford County Library was held Monday evening. It was decided to get a fund drive underway immediately to collect funds to build a new building to house the Crawford County Library.

OLCOTT - KELSEY DEAD AUGUST 5

Miss Clara Mae Wolcott and Arvid D. Kelsey were united in marriage at Michelson Memorial Church at 7:30 in the evening on Sunday, August 5th, by the Rev. Fred Fennell before about sixty guests.

ICE CREAM SOCIAL THIS SATURDAY

The ice cream social which was held at the Michelson Memorial Church on Saturday, August 19th, was a success.

NOTICE!!

The Lovells Chapel Guild will hold their annual Silver Tea on Wednesday, August 23rd from 2 to 4 p. m. at the Chapel.

DID YOU KNOW?

The Claude Cardinals have just had some wrought iron railing installed on the porch of their Elm Street home.

FOOTBALL PRACTICE SET FOR AUGUST 28th

Football practice for the Grayling Vikings will get underway on Monday, August 28th, head football coach Don Ferguson announced.

Junior Trap Shooters Going Great Guns

A group of eight youths of Grayling have been formed into a Junior Trap Shoot Club and have been taking instruction since early spring.

Local People Injured In US-66 Crash

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stephan and nephew Norman Stephan, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hatfield, were driving from Roswell, N. Mexico, in a pickup truck towing a Mobile Home trailer, on August 9th, when wind whipped the trailer causing both vehicles to overturn.

Traverse Wins Kiwanis Tourney

The Traverse City Kiwanis Club were the victors in Monday's annual fourteenth district golf tournament held at the Grayling Country Club.

Duck Season Outlook Bleak

LaSalle, Aug. 15 — Michigan's fall goose season holds promise of being the same as last year, but duck hunters might have to brace themselves for added restrictions.

Planned Field Trip Is Postponed

Brig. General Carson R. Niefert, Quartermaster of Michigan, contacted Robert Hayes, secretary-manager of the Crawford County Chamber of Commerce early this week to advise him that the proposed field trip for Grayling to the Canadian prairies, where about 50 percent of the flyway's ducks are hatched each year, show brood numbers were down some 78 percent from the average through the end of July.

Midtown Service Wins Award

Olie Williamson and his Speedway "79" Station won a Trans-Service award for having the cleanest station and giving the most courteous service of any Speedway Station in the State.

Dems Plan Third Annual Ox Roast

The 3rd Annual Ox-Roast of the 10th Congressional District Democrats will be held Sunday, August 20th at the Indian Hills Ski Lodge, five miles west of Grayling on M-55.

Graveside Services Held For Martin Infant

Graveside services were held at 1 o'clock Monday afternoon for George Dean Martin, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Martin of Mt. Pleasant, at Elmwood Cemetery in Grayling. The Rev. R. C. Puffer officiated.

GRANGE NOTES

The Crawford Grange August business meeting at which an election and giving the most courteous service of any Speedway Station in the State.

Welfare Notice

Surplus commodities can be picked up at the Welfare Office from August 18th through August 25th.

What - Where - When

Aug. 16 — Michelson Memorial Couples Club. Square dance at Day's Drive Inn. Meet at church at 7:30 p. m.

SERVICES HELD FOR ALFRED HUMMEL

Funeral services for Alfred Hummel, 79, of Maple Forest, were held Friday, August 11th, at the Michelson Memorial Church in Grayling, by the Rev. Alfred Fennell officiating.

Area Shrine Club Meets Here Tonight

The Northern Michigan Shrine Club will hold its August meeting in Grayling at the Chief Shoppington Motor Hotel at 7:00 p. m. on August 17th.

Church Notice

There will be neither church services nor Sunday School at the Grayling Evangelical Lutheran Church this Sunday, August 20, due to the absence of the pastor who is attending Synodical Convention.

Cities, Counties Share \$23.2 Million From Highway Fund

LANSING — The State Highway Department has started distributing second quarter Motor Vehicle Highway Fund collections to Michigan counties and incorporated cities and villages.

Norman Johnston Retires As School Bus Driver

Norman Johnston of Beaver Creek, having reached the age of 65, has decided to retire from the position of bus driver from the Beaver Creek District, a position he has held for the past 19 years.

U of M To Offer Education Course

Education B-605, Elementary School Curriculum, will be offered in Roscommon on Thursdays, from 6:30 to 9:30 p. m., starting the week of September 25, 1961.

Marriage Announced

Mrs. Gertrude Boger wishes to announce the marriage of her daughter, Darla Mae, to Mr. Sonny Nunes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Nunes of Santa Clara, Calif., by Justice of the Peace Olin Williams on Saturday, August 12, at 4 p. m.

Annual Review And Inspection Set For This Saturday Aug. 19th

CAMP GRAYLING — The change from civilian to Army life was a quick one for the more than 8,000 members of Ohio's 37th Infantry Division which began its two-week summer training session Sunday.

Honor Indiana Enlisted Man

On Tuesday, of last week, the Crawford County Chamber of Commerce held its luncheon to honor an enlisted man from the Indiana National Guard.

Golf Club Aux.

On Wednesday, August 2nd, eighteen members of the Auxiliary met at the clubhouse to play qualifying rounds for the Handicap Tournament. The prize for low net went to Evelyn Gardner, and for low putt to Mary Pettengill.

To Hold Daily Bible School

Daily Vacation Bible School will be held this coming Monday morning, August 21, at 9:00 a. m. to 11:30 a. m. at the Grayling Calvary Baptist Church.

First meal after arriving Sunday looks to have refreshed (from the left) Pfc Wilmer Longberry of Circleville, Pfc Dale Bidwell of Ozark, SP4 Wendell Grawson of Columbus and Pfc Ed Wircman of Columbus.

Armored units immediately went to the ranges for a refresher course on marksmanship with their big tanks. And infantry platoons first went through dry runs and then began using live ammunition in tests never before done by 37th troops in peacetime.

The 37th, although not hinted at being one of the reserve divisions which may be called to active duty, is regarded as one of the finest units of its size in the country.

It has seen action in three wars since it was established in 1917. It was one of the five most feared divisions in World War I, was never defeated in an island hopping campaign across the Pacific in World War II and was one of only a few National Guard divisions called to active duty during the Korean conflict.

The Buckeyes follow the Michigan and Indiana national guard units to the huge military reservation and will close down the rambling installation when they leave August 26.

William F. Schaub, Assistant Secretary of the Army for financial management, will visit Ohio's 37th Infantry Division on Friday and Saturday (18-19 Aug. 61) and will be one of the reviewing dignitaries during the annual review of the Buckeye National Guard Division.

Schaub, one of three assistant secretaries under Secretary Elvis J. Stahr, Jr., will present to the 37th Division its official army flag in special ceremonies Saturday morning.

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On Wednesday, August 9th, there were seventeen members out for golf, sixteen of whom began the first round of the Handicap Tournament. Prizes went to Elsie Jansson for low net, and again to Mary Pettengill for low putt.

There will be a most exciting lighting system. There will be quiet seats, fun with balloons, and a treasure box filled with prizes. Train tickets will be given free upon the first day of Bible School. A big train contest will take place between two sides, the reds and the blues. This Bible school is planned to be chock-full for all.

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Mrs. Thomas J. Little III of Grosse Pointe was the overnight guest of her nephew and wife, the Rev. and Mrs. Colin Campbell, last week on Tuesday. Mrs. Campbell's cousin, John H. Coleman of Hollywood, Calif., left Thursday after spending some time with the Campbells, and Mrs. Campbell's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Thoburn Stiles of Hartsdale, N. Y., arrived last Wednesday to spend a couple of weeks with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vest, Jr. of Bedford, Va., who have spent the past two months assisting at St. Francis' Episcopal Mission in Grayling and St. Andrews' at Gaylord, were guests of honor at a farewell potluck dinner Wednesday of last week at the Grayling Woman's Club, given by friends and members of St. Francis'.

They returned to Virginia on Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Albert VanVleet of Paw Paw are spending some time at their Lake Margrethe cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Burnside of Kawkawlin brought their son Mike to visit his grandmother, Mrs. Emory Bobow, last week, while they were on a vacation trip. Mike accompanied his parents back home on Sunday. Taking his place were Brian and Kathy DuBois of Vassar, two

other grandchildren of Mrs. Bobow, who are spending several days this week with her while Mr. and Mrs. Leads DuBois are on a camping trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Strong II and daughter Stephanie were in Mt. Pleasant overnight Tuesday of last week, returning here on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Barrie of Flint arrived Thursday to visit his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Roberts. They and Mrs. Roberts then went on to East Jordan to visit their mother, Mrs. Elva Barrie, they for the weekend and Mrs. Roberts to spend a week. Mr. Roberts left Sunday by plane from Traverse City, to attend the National County Officers Association meeting at Chicago, and will be away for a week.

Robert Nahass and two nephews, Peter and Paul Nahass, of Wellesley, Mass., arrived Thursday to visit his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tappley. Mr. Nahass will remain for a month, and the boys will be here for about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Matoon and granddaughters Pam and Denise of Pontiac left Tuesday of last week after spending a week visiting Mrs. Matoon's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cardinal, also her sister Mrs. Fred Wiehe and brother Vern Perry, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cord of Saginaw were callers at the Cardinal home Wednesday last, on their way home from farther north.

See the Pyrofax-Gas advertisement on page seven of this issue.

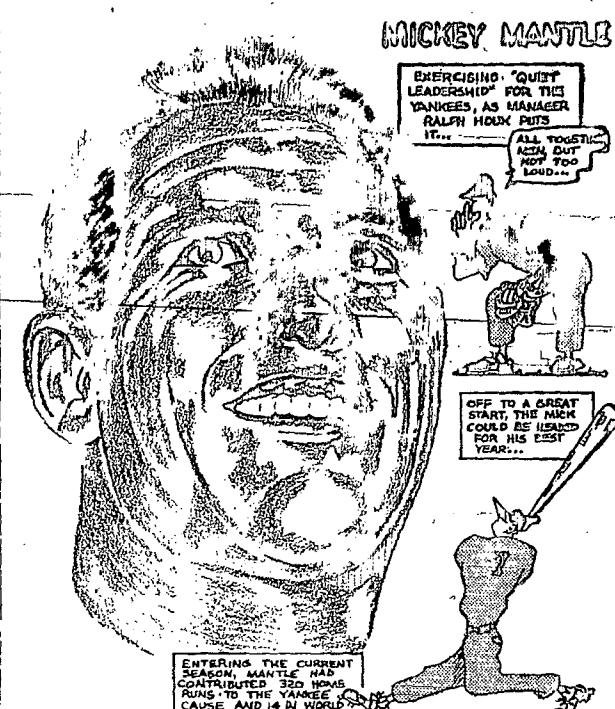
Mr. and Mrs. Pete Harvey of Longview, Texas and the latter's sister, Mrs. Carleen Nassar of Dallas, Texas, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Drake for a couple of days last week. Mrs. Nassar was the former owner of Margo's Beauty Salon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stripe and daughter Rhea returned Monday of last week after a nine-day camping vacation in which they toured the north shore of Lake Superior.

Ray Larson and family of Detroit visited his brother Robert Larson and family recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Linendoll left Saturday for Otsego Lake to spend a week on vacation. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hoel, spent Saturday and Sunday with them.

Among those from out of town who attended the miscellaneous shower for Mrs. Fred Miller, Jr. (Joan Bond) last week at the Chief Shoppens Hotel were Mrs. Fred Miller, Sr., of Clare,



and daughters Mrs. Dean Sampson of Midland and Mrs. Henry Rendzio of Detroit, also Mrs. George Granger of Boyne City, Mrs. Jack Richardson of Cleveland, Ohio, Mrs. Richard Snyder of Bay City, Mrs. Hugh Rideout of Monterey, Calif., Mrs. Russell Scholtens of Prudenville, Mrs. John Sojka of Rochester and Mrs. Robert Krutilla of Escanaba.

Mrs. Marvel Every and daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Peters all of Pontiac, spent two days recently visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Every.

Mrs. Roger Kessler and children of Midland, accompanied by Mrs. James Bond and family of Harrisville, who had spent last week visiting the Kesslers, arrived Friday to spend some time here. Mrs. Kessler will be visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jens Ziebell, while Mr. Kessler is on active reserve duty at Camp McCoy, Wis., for two weeks. Mrs. Bond will be spending the rest of August here with the Frank Bonds and visiting her parents, the Byron Randolphs.

Jim Bond returned here last weekend from a week in the U. S.

drove to Lansing Sunday a week ago to visit Mr. and Mrs. James Arndt, and leave Susan with her aunt and uncle for the week. They went on to Ionia on the following day to attend the Fair and return home. The Claude Sloans drove down to Lansing Saturday to bring Susan back home.

Pastor Ernest Latt and family of Frederic left Monday for Harvey, Anamoose, Minn. and various other points in North Dakota. They will visit their parents and friends there. Their trip will take them on the new road along the

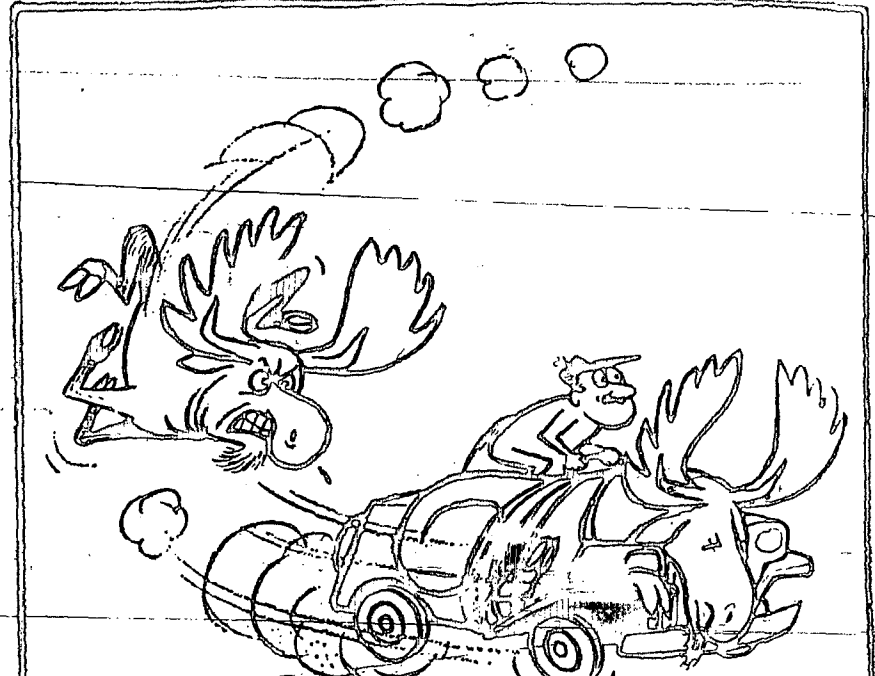
north shore of Lake Superior to Duluth, Minn., then on US-2. On the way back to Frederic they will go via St. Paul, Minn., where Bernadine Latt will stay, enrolling at Bethel College in preparation for nursing. The Latts plan to be gone for about two weeks. In the pastor's absence the Rev. MacGregor from Glennie, Mich., will preach.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schofield and daughter Glenda visited their son and family at Indian River Wednesday and last Thursday, taking their granddaughter Mary

Ann Schofield back with them after a four-day visit. They also left their daughter Glenda for a visit with her brother and family.

The Grayling High School Alumni Association recently heard from Charles Marvin, of Passaic, N. J., who stated that he and Guy Butler, of Jackson, Mich., were two members of the Class of 1897 still living.

Avalanche mentioned in a recent article about Mrs. Iva Dilline's death that it was thought Mrs. Dilline was the last member of her graduating class.



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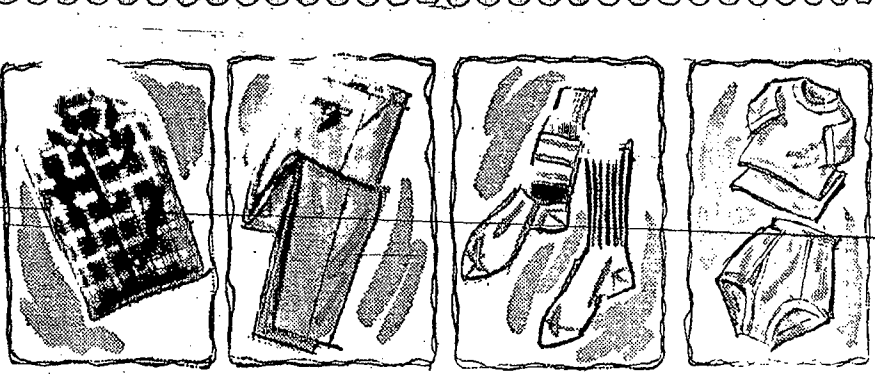
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Keep One Eye At Home . . .

An ancient adage tells us that "When the cat's away he will play." A rough paraphrase might go thus: "When the attention of the majority of people is distracted by far-off events, minority groups have a chance for a field day."

That is certainly true at the present time. Inevitably, in this period of rising world tension, we look afar. To Cuba, to Latin America as a whole where our position is the most precarious in a century; to Laos, to Africa, to Vietnam, to Berlin. But we cannot afford to neglect the problems that lie on our own doorstep.

The advocates of the welfare state, and of the socializing processes that are a part of it, have never been more restless, eager, dedicated and confident. In a dozen diverse fields ranging from medical care to a farm program, and to the production and distribution of electric power, they have specific proposals which, one way or another, sooner or later, would give the government control, direction or ownership of the productive energies of this nation, and would subject us all to the never-tender mercies of an incredibly vast bureaucracy. The cost in treasure would be uncontrollable. The cost in lost liberty, and the undermining of individual character, would be infinite.

Each of us has two eyes. One must be kept focused at home.

'Maneuver In Price Rigging' . . .

Prior to the Transportation Act of 1958, railroads are often prohibited by regulatory authorities from dueling rates on the grounds that this might deprive their carriers of business and constitute "unfair and de-

structive competitive practices." The Act made certain changes in this arbitrary policy, and a result has been to give the users of commercial freight transportation better and more economical service in many instances.

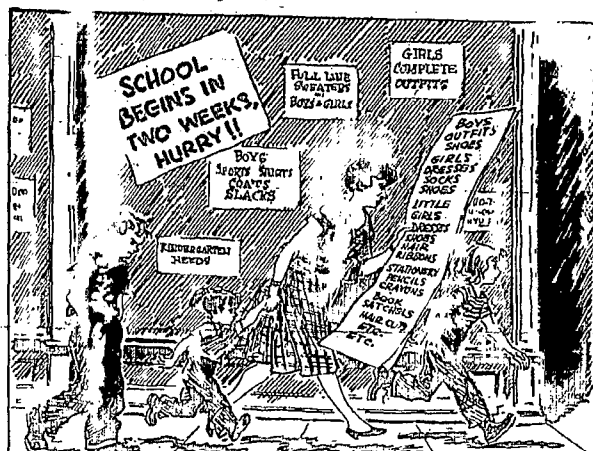
But a bill now up in Congress would turn back the clock, and repeal the constructive advances made by the 1958 Act.

Railroad spokesmen have justly characterized this bill as a "maneuver in price-rigging." They add: "This bill, which is being pushed by powerful self-interest groups, including the leadership of the Teamsters' union, would make it all but impossible to reduce freight rates on rail shipments in order to compete with other forms of transportation and would deny the American people the economies from railroad progress."

As a specific example — and this explains the Teamsters' attitude — the bill would make it possible to prohibit "piggybacking" by rail of truck trailers, including those carrying new automobiles. As of now the railroads are getting this business for just one reason — they can move the automobiles at less cost than they can be moved over the highways. In other words, in a competitive situation, the railroads are able to offer a better and more economical service — just as, in prior times, the trucks could offer a better and more economical service and so got the trade.

The Teamsters were all for competition when the odds were on their side. But, it seems, they are all against it when the pendulum moves in the other direction. This is an example of the wish to have the cake and eat it too — and, if that philosophy prevails, all the consumers and transportation users of this country will be losers.

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Carlson is visiting her cousin Mary Lou Carlson in Roscommon this week, returning to pay a visit of the latter of a week ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mayotte entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Leggett and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sheldie of Detroit at their cottage at Lake Margrethe over the week end.

Earl Gierke has returned to Saginaw to resume his teaching duties at the Saginaw Business Institute following a special course at Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Safford and daughter Louise of Vassar returned to their home Tuesday after spending a few days visiting Mrs. Safford's sister, Mrs. T. P. Peterson and family.

Mrs. Victor Thelen and daughter Barbara Ann of Grand Rapids are guests this week of her mother, Mrs. Thomas Cassidy.

J. McClain and Everett Bidvin returned to their duties at the Rialto Theater Monday after a week spent vacationing in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hendrickson are entertaining the Edwin Carlson and Roy Smith families at their cottage at Lakeview Park this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gannon and children returned Monday to their home at Big Bay after a few days' visit with Mrs. Gannon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Smock of Frederic and her brother Leland Smock and family of Grayling.

Mrs. Carl Brownell and sons Carl Jr. and Robert of Flint and Mrs. Hal Ryder and daughter Mitzi Ree of Springfield, Ill., spent a few days last week with their sister, Mrs. W. J. Helle.

Misses Ingeborg and Mildred Hanson, Agda Johnson, Elma Mae Sorenson and Eva Madsen attended a meeting of the Danish Young People's Associated League in Trunk, Mich., Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. George Sorenson and son Keith returned Sunday after a six weeks' visit in Chicago and Grand Rapids, Minn. Mrs. Jerome Kessel and children drove to Grand Rapids to accompany them home.

Marjorie Nelson entertained 10 girls besides her two sisters at a sherry party at the Rialto Saturday afternoon to celebrate her seventh birthday. Returning from the show the guests were served plenty of ice cream and cake by Marjorie's mother, Mrs. A. J. Nelson.

Adam Gierke has just completed another cabin on his property, and the famous AuSable passes within a few feet of its front door. In fact, one could almost sit on the porch and stare for trout. There are two large size rooms with a front porch and back enclosed porch. The outside is covered with asbestos shingles.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hamblin (Opal Plagens) are happy over the arrival of a daughter born to them August 15. The little lady weighed 8 pounds and 14 ounces. Ervin Sampsel, Floyd Lookos, William Kieric, and Mrs. Archie Woskosi drove to Indian River Sunday and attended the baseball game in which the Grayling Merchants played. They also visited in Cheboygan.

Grayling's baseball team walloped Indian River's famous (in northern baseball) Club to the tune of 13 to 2 at Indian River Sunday. Wintetee, Grayling's hurler, allowed the opponent sluggers 3 hits and 1 earned run, while the Grayling lads knocked Ramsby, a former Detroit Tiger, hurling for Indian River, out of the box in the sixth inning, touching him for 8 hits and four runs. King replaced Ramsby and the Merchants went right on slugging to tally up 9 more hits and nine runs, and played an errorless game.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard N. Williams, son Richard Jr. and daughter Susan Elizabeth of St. Louis, Mo., are here for a two weeks' sojourn at Lake Margrethe, and to visit Mrs. Williams' mother, Mrs. John R. Williams. Other guests at the Williams' cottage are Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bulger and two children, also of St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Enos Jennings and daughter Margie of Detroit are spending the week-end in Grayling. Mr. Jennings' sister, Mrs. Alice Shaw also of Detroit, accompanied them. While here they made a two-day trip to the Upper Peninsula, accompanied by Steven Jennings Jr. and wife. They visited Newberry, Grand Marais, where their grandfather lived at one time, also AuSable Falls, Pictured Rocks, Miners Falls, Munising, and Blaney Park, the latter being one of the most modern parks in Michigan. They left for Detroit Saturday morning.

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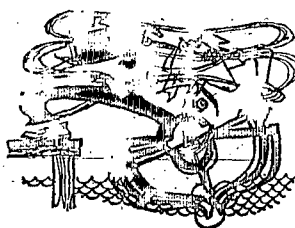
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Carl Nelson is assisting in the Milk Market this week. Miss Maude Tetu spent last week-end at Augustus, Minn. Lewiston, the guest of Mr. Cephas Butties.

Mrs. Joseph Malafant and daughter Beatrice of Cheboygan are

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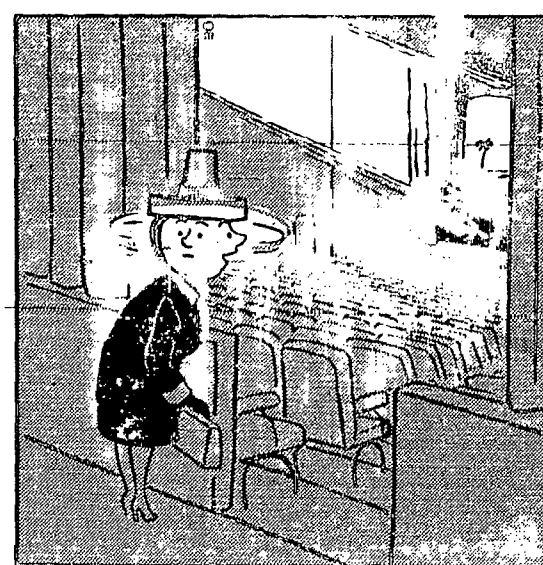
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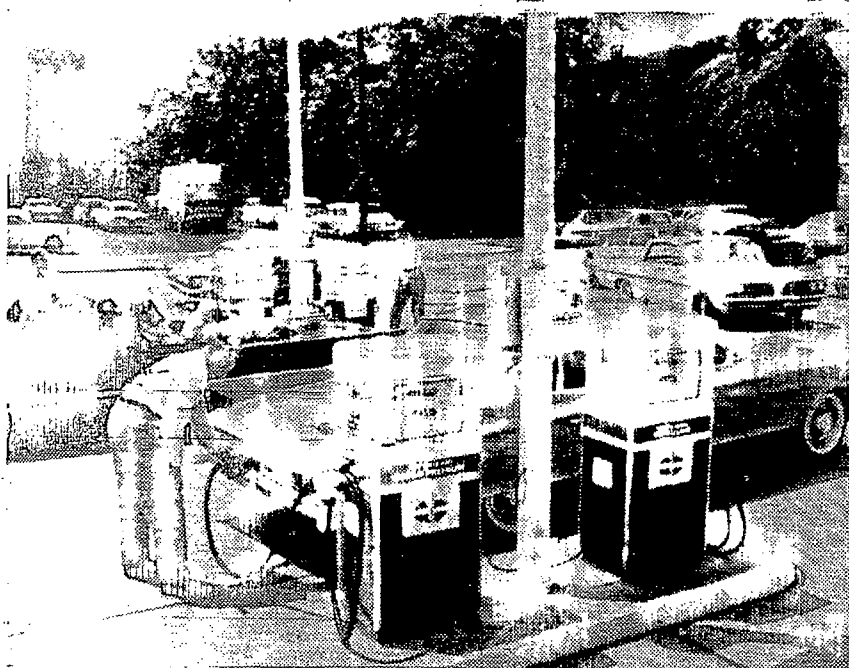
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FOR RENT - Ground floor space in former Grayling Laundry buildings, 408 Norway. Call DI 8-6471. 5-19/61

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FOR TV SALES & SERVICE - Contact Stampy TV Sales and Service, 502 McClellan, phone DI 8-5281. Emerson TV & Appliances also.

WANTED - Sewing alterations and repairs. Mrs. Chester Logan, Phone DI 8-6417. 10-27/61

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IF PARTY SEEN loading package on trailer in front of Gulf Gas station on US-27 by blinker light returns same intact, will not prosecute. Frank Decker, DI 8-4101. 8/1/61

WORKER WANTED for work in woods. DI 8-4101. 17-24

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I WILL no longer be responsible for debts incurred by anyone other than myself. Walter Marston Shaw. 10-17-24-31

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Reg. Price \$2.10
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Hospital Auxiliary News

Hospital Auxiliary ladies held a work meeting Thursday for a work meeting. Refreshments in the cafeteria that day. After the meeting it was decided to have a bake sale in the hospital on September 2nd. The meeting was in conjunction with the Thursday meeting, with the Nurses Home on September 2nd. The meeting was in conjunction with the Nurses Home on September 2nd. The meeting was in conjunction with the Nurses Home on September 2nd.

Lake Margrethe Water Level

Information furnished by U. S. Geological Survey)

Period of record, Nov. 12, 1942 to date:
Water level, Aug. 10, '61 1134.29ft.
Water level, Aug. 10, '61 1134.28ft.
Water level, Aug. 10, '61 1135.97ft.
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Crawford County Avalanche
Thursday, August 17, 1961

OAKS FAMILY REUNION HELD

The 40th Oaks family reunion was held at the Hartwick Pines Sunday, August 13th, 1961, with one hundred sixteen present. The weather was cool but nice. Long tables were piled high with all kinds of wonderful food and desserts. Following the dinner, gifts were presented to the oldest person present, Mrs. Bertha Oaks, 90, of Clio, to the youngest, Margaret Ann Mosher of Clio, 2 months old. Ray Stephan, Jr., and Lula Marie Stephan came the greatest distance from Roswell, N. Mexico. Mrs. Myrtle Barnes of Chicago, Mrs. Grace Stuckey of Flushing, and Judy Aubouchon of Merrill were guests.

Next came the business meeting, which was called to order by President Hurl Deckrow. The minutes of the last year were read and approved, and letters came from many places. Next was the voting on where to have the next reunion, Grayling, Saginaw or Flint. Grayling received the most, so all will come to Grayling next year. Officers for the next reunion are: Leo Palmer, Grayling, President; John Deckrow, Grayling, Vice-President; Eureka Ste-

pham, Grayling, sec-treas.

Entertainment Committee Chairman, Norman Parker of Mio, Helen Hatfield of Grayling and Ray and Virginia Oaks of Flushing. After the meeting came the contests. For batting a ball farthest Jerry Barger of Toledo was first, Johnny Lennert of Howell second. In the young ladies races Fern Stucker of Flushing was first and Ellen Stuckey of Flushing second. In the boys' races Greg Schultz was first and Gary Schultz, both of Merrill, second. In the ball throwing contest for smaller girls, Sally Mosher of Clio was first. In the one-legged race Kerry Palmer of Grayling was first. In the ball throwing for smaller children Virginia Stuckey of Flushing was first and Ralph Mosher of Clio second. Then came the ball game, with Ray Oaks of Chesaning leading one side and Jerry Barger of Toledo leader of the other. Ray's side won with the help of the umpire, who everyone said was crooked. Jerry Barger struck out Ray Oaks. The umpire was for the winning side but everyone had a happy time.

Then everyone lined up for the march to the ice-cream stand, which everyone enjoyed. Mrs. Bertha Oaks is staying for a week to visit relatives. Mrs. Julius Gierback of Melrose Park, Ill., stayed until Wednesday. Others left around 6 o'clock for their homes, all saying that they had a wonderful time and would be back next year.

Eureka Stephan, Sec'y-Treas.

Lake Margrethe

By Marjorie Flower

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelly of Fostoria, Ohio, arrived Thursday to spend some time visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dicken.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sharpe and sons of Toledo returned home Thursday after spending a week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wade.

Mrs. Miriam Lowe and children returned from Detroit Saturday, where she had been on business. Sunday they went to Indian River to visit until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin LeButt and family of Jackson arrived last Wednesday night to spend a little time with her grandmother, Mrs. William Strope. Saturday being the birthday of the youngest boy, Teddy, they went on a canoe trip on the AuSable and in the evening had ice cream and cake for some of the small fry as part of the day's celebration.

Dr. and Mrs. Edward Litchfield and son Ted, and Mrs. L. Morrell of Hiram, Ohio, who have been spending several days with his mother, Mrs. Leigh Litchfield, left Sunday, for their home in Pittsburgh, taking Mrs. Litchfield with them. She will return home next Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas Manion of Alma and her mother, Mrs. S. Collar of Grand Rapids are spending some time at the Manion summer home at Arbutus Beach. They called on the Star Flowers on Sunday.

Mrs. Lulu Shaw returned home Saturday evening with her niece from Saginaw after attending the funeral of her sister on Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Porter of Lancaster, Pa., were guests of the Howard Porters last week.



Weekend guests of Mrs. Lloyd Berry were Lloyd, Jr., and daughter Susie of Pontiac, who also visited in Petoskey and Harbor Springs. Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Hatfield and children Warren, Terry, Barry, Brad and Carol of Kawkawlin came Sunday to visit Mrs. Berry and also the Hatfield-Hatfields, Sr. Mr. Hatfield returned home Monday, the others remaining for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Richardson spent a couple of days at Grand Hotel, Mackinac Island, during their visit with his parents, the Carl Richardsons. They met the senior Richardsons and Mrs. William Haggard at Traverse City on their return trip, all having dinner at Schulers followed by seeing the play "Bachelor Honeymoon" with Dody Goodman, at the Cherry County Playhouse. Rickie and Julie Richardson are staying this week with their grandparents, the Jack Richardsons having left for home last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dendell and children Gayle, Mark and Jeff of Royal Oak spent the weekend before last visiting her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Walker. The children stayed over until last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. William MacLeod and son Dick and Jon and Mrs. Laura MacLeod spent Sunday in Lansing visiting the Elmer Dunham family.

Mrs. Eunice Schreiber, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Servino and Mrs. William Christensen attended the gladiola show at Clare on Sunday.

The Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Puffer, daughter Mrs. John Losier and son David, grandchild Mary Ethel Puffer from New Jersey, and Skipper and Ronnie Puffer from Dowagiac, all left Tuesday for a ten-day camping and fishing trip in the Rocky Island area in Canada.

Johnny Scholtens of Prudenville had his tonsils removed Wednesday of last week, and is now recuperating at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Menno Corwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Tibbetts of Oxford, Mich., spent the weekend at the Roy Wolcotts.

Mrs. George Griffith entertained the St. Francis Episcopal Guild at her home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Fred Bear was hostess to several ladies at a luncheon at the Bear home Tuesday.

Tom Kearney of Detroit is spending a few days with his aunt Mrs. Bertha Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schaffke of Detroit are spending two weeks at the Goodhue cottage on the AuSable. Mr. and Mrs. Goodhue joined them for the weekend.

The Rev. C. F. Olin and son-in-law, Dr. Alden Wiley of Waukon, Iowa, spent from Tuesday to last Friday fishing in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Woods and son Steve of Plymouth are spending this week with his parents, the Earl Woods. Steven celebrated



ed his first birthday on Tuesday, August 15th.

Judy Smith had a nice party Friday to celebrate her 12th birthday and then on Sunday her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith, accompanied by Vicki McEvers, took her to Camp Barabek where she is spending the week.

Miss Sydney Swindells of Pontiac is visiting Miss Arlene Smith this week.

Jack Perry and his wife and five daughters have been visiting his father, Vern Perry, Thursday through Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lamm are back from a vacation trip through the southern states.

Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Steffe and children Margie, Tommy and Jimmy of Flint are spending two weeks at their AuSable River home.

The Robert Bovees and the Basil Hubbells attended a meeting of a square dance group at Lake City Saturday before last. Last Saturday the Bovees enjoyed another square dance meeting at Clare.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Goss of Fenton spent the weekend before last visiting his sister-in-law and family, Mrs. Oscar Goss. Mrs. Goss' sister-in-law Mrs. Hannah Holtforth of Fenton visited her for three days previously and attended the County Treasurers' Association convention at Menominee August 8, 9 and 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Johnson entertained several friends at cards at their home last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Christensen were hosts to the C. E. Alexanders, the Frank Servens, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woods and daughter Margaret and her fiancé, at a barbecued steak dinner at the Christensen cabin on the AuSable Tuesday evening of last week.

Mercy Hospital News

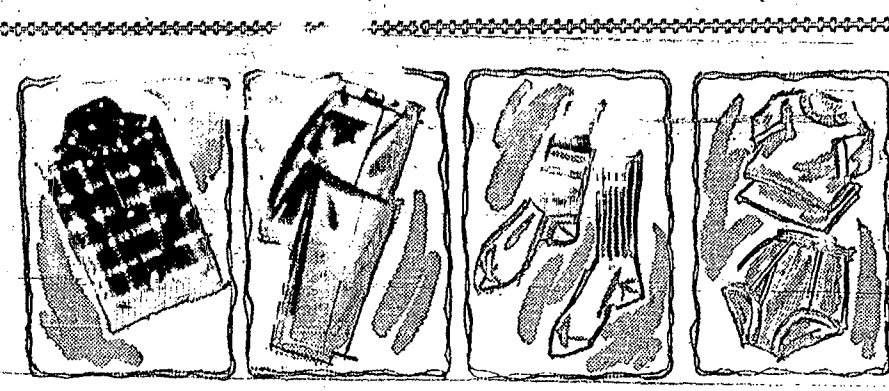
Patients registered at Mercy Hospital are: Jon MacLeod, Art Clough, Laura Eaton, Mabel Walsh, Iva Sindlinger, Ann Scott of Grayling, Roy Newberry of Frederic, Louise Cronin, Lester French, Florence Klinger, Adelia McCrea, and Betty Bartlett of Roscommon; Ernest Clark of Houghton Lake, Margie Hyde of St. Helen, William Day of Fairview.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Diemert of Roscommon had a son born August 14th.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the Sisters, doctors, nurses and hospital staff for the wonderful care and kind words to our father, Alfred Hummel, during his recent illness. Also the friends and neighbors who were so nice to our mother. We also thank the ladies of Maple Forest for the nice dinner after the funeral.

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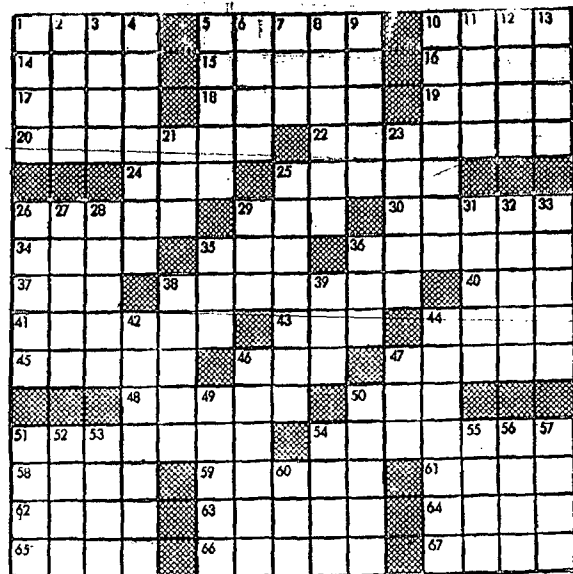
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PUZZLE NO. 688

- ACROSS
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 2. French painter
 3. Fish
 4. Daylight
 5. Swell
 6. Funeral
 7. Station
 8. Story
 9. Extent of land
 10. Flower
 11. Anger
 12. Disregard
 13. Postage
 14. Walk
 15. Financially
 16. Painfully
 17. Dislike
 18. Fowl
 19. Shell-like
 20. Projection
 21. Genius of music
 22. Japanese coin
 23. Traces of the earth
 24. Family
 25. Male
 26. Offspring
 27. Holy city
 28. Of Hinduism
 29. Woodland
 30. Quake
 31. It is (cont.)
 32. Rabbit
 33. Half justice
 34. Go in
 35. Siver of England
- DOWN
1. Garbed
 2. Italian
 3. Cell (pl.)
 4. Exposed to the air
 5. College
 6. Official
 7. Obtained
 8. Factors
 9. Cap Verde
 10. Pompos
 11. Rabbit
 12. Half justice
 13. A direction
 14. Bird (pl.)

Answer to puzzle No. 687

Comm. Johnson, that the Chairman of the Board be authorized to sign the Maintenance Contract. All voted in favor, motion carried.

Carl McNamara and Robert Ostling appeared before the Board.

General Carson Neffert, Michigan National Guard, and Capt. Hilton E. Heinke, Indiana National Guard, and Billy Kinkert, Supt. of Camp Grayling, appeared before the Board in regard to the movement of the Indiana National Guard during their training period.

The Commissioners and Supt. Carlson made a trip of inspection over roads in the several townships. After returning to their office a motion was made and seconded to adjourn. All voted in favor of motion, meeting adjourned.

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LANSING — Woodcock chicks were banded in Michigan this Spring to kick off the Conservation Department's newest field study on game birds.

Game men have high hopes that returns of banded birds will shed light on woodcock survival in the face of pesticide programs in Louisiana and Mississippi. Most woodcock winter in these two southern states where concerted efforts have been made in recent years to control fire ants by chemical sprays.

Banding efforts are also expected to clear up some mysteries clouding the movements of these pint-sized, long-billed birds. Popular as woodcock are during Michigan's small game season, little is known about where, when and how far these itinerant birds travel during their post-nesting period and early fall.

Banding was timed with the hatching season which usually takes place during the first two or three weeks in May. Game men throughout the state have kept a sharp lookout for nests and broods. Some have used their pointing dogs to locate broods. They did so under special permission which must be granted even for Department game warden during the state's April 15-July 15 closed season on dog training.

The woodcock's plumage blends in deceptively well with its surroundings and the human eye needs the aid of a dog's sensitive nose to find these birds when they are "sitting tight."

Even younger woodcock carry a strong scent, making it fairly easy for dogs to seek them out. Dogs were put through their paces an hour or two after daylight. By this time, birds will have had a chance to move about, leaving scent trails.

Game men made no real bid to find nests with dogs. Even when nests were located, the time picking up the scent of incubating birds. Too, hens often desert their clutch when disturbed by dogs.

Time was of the essence in banding chicks once the hatching season starts. The young of woodcock are able to walk or run within a few hours after they pop out of the shells. They grow surprisingly fast, making a master of short flights by the age of two weeks. Thus, the younger the chicks, the easier they are to locate and catch.

These young birds lend themselves well to banding. Unlike most game birds, they are born with big feet, a feature which will keep leg bands from slipping off.

Mortality is relatively low among woodcock chicks (about 10 per cent as compared with 60 per cent for infant ruffed grouse). This means that most of the birds banded will pass the test of early survival to bear information when they are recovered in future years.

Bird watchers, mushroom pickers, fishermen and others were urged to help game men this spring by reporting nests and broods when they came across them. Mushroom pickers, be particularly helpful since moths seem to ripen around nesting time.

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Road Commis-

sioners Minutes

July 28, 1961

A regular meeting of the Board

of Crawford County Road Com-

missioners was held in their of-

fice in Grayling. The meeting

was called to order by Chairman

Johnson. Members present, Com-

missioners Harold T. Johnson and

Elmer A. Corsaut, and Eng-Supt.

Bruce Carlson. Absent, Commis-

sioner Marion M. Richmond.

The minutes of the last regular

and intervening special meetings

read. A motion was made by

Comm. Johnson, seconded by

Comm. Johnson, that the minutes

be accepted as read. All voted

in favor, motion carried.

Voucher No. 6690 covering Pay-

roll No. 15 and Vouchers No. 6691

to \$700 covering materials, pre-

sented to the Board for approval.

A motion was made by Comm.

Corsaut, seconded by Comm. John-

son, that Vouchers No. 6690 to

\$700 be allowed and warrants or-

dered drawn for their respective

amounts. All voted in favor, mo-

tion carried.

Payroll No. 15 \$8,243.36

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Culvert Co. 599.69

City of Grayling 56.54

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Machines Corp. 45.00

Harry Cook 75.00

Short Freight Lines 10.90

The Contract for State Trunk-

line Maintenance for the year

1961-1962, was presented by Eng-

Supt. Bruce Carlson and read. Af-

ter discussing the aforesaid con-

tract a motion was made by

Comm. Corsaut, seconded by

Comm. Johnson, that the con-

tract be accepted as read. All

voted in favor, motion carried.

There being no other business

presented, a motion was made

by Comm. Johnson, seconded by

Comm. Johnson, that the meeting

be adjourned. All voted in favor,

motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Harold T. Johnson, Chairman

Elmer A. Corsaut, Secretary

Bruce Carlson, Engineer-Super-

intendent

Marion M. Richmond, Commis-

sioner

Grayling, Michigan

August 17, 1961

By Order of the Board

Harold T. Johnson, Chairman

Elmer A. Corsaut, Secretary

Bruce Carlson, Engineer-Super-

intendent

Marion M. Richmond, Commis-

sioner

Grayling, Michigan

August 17, 1961

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Con-Con Primary Election Turnout Indicated Public Apathy

ELECTION TURNOUT, at least in the primary to nominate candidates for Constitutional Convention delegates, indicate public apathy at an all-time peak.

Most observers, however, predict some resurgence of interest will be apparent when delegates are elected (Sept. 12) and, hopefully, in the convention itself, scheduled to convene at Lansing October 3.

If the public as a whole is somewhat indifferent to Con-Con, the delegates hopefuls have indicated high interest and a desire to write the best possible Constitution for the state.

Keen observers of the entire Con-Con process are also found among spokesmen and representatives for Michigan's multitude of pressure groups.

This is not necessarily bad. Con-Con delegates will have need of specialized counsel from various quarters about a variety of highly technical and complex governmental subjects in order to provide the state with a good basic law. This information is supplied at a cost and without charge by the state.



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be forthcoming after convention deliberations? This is the big question which will be answered by voters who must approve it or reject it.

Ideally, it should be simple. According to Dr. Fred S. Siebert, an expert in newspaper law and head of MSU's College of Communication Arts, a sound constitution must be one which makes a framework for legislative action. This allows the important flexibility a dynamic government needs and permits laws to be made which can deal with problems as situations change.

Another important requirement of a sound Constitution, says Dr. Siebert, is that it be free of speculation for groups or ideas which sometimes are "enshrined" in its sections.

COUNTY PROSECUTORS in Michigan would like to get the power to subpoena persons who might know something useful in connection with an investigation and see that such power is given to the state Attorney General.

Such a move would have far-reaching effects on criminal investigations.

Currently the power to subpoena people to testify is reserved to the courts, although the Legislature

customarily grants it to its own committees.

Extension of the subpoena power was one of several changes in procedure that the county prosecutors advocated at a recent meeting.

While granting prosecutors the power to subpoena would be a step toward the elimination of some criminal investigations, a long look should be taken before such a move is made because sweeping power to summon citizens for testimony comes dangerously close to infringing on the constitutional rights guaranteed by both federal and state documents.

Another of the points backed by the prosecutors was retention of this fall's Constitutional Convention of all civil rights now in the Constitution.

While no one denies the need for thorough investigation by the Attorney General or prosecuting attorney before proceeding with criminal action, unlimited subpoena power for these law enforcement officers might cause severe embarrassment if not economic harm, particularly if used too enthusiastically by zealous public servants.

The question of whether to ex-

tend the subpoena power is one of those touchy ones that needs to be examined with common sense.

Would the expansion of the power be of great enough benefit to upholding the law so that the rights of individual citizens should be curtailed or risked in any way—if granting subpoena power would do this is the query that needs answering.

Other changes which the prosecutors said they would like to see included:

Transfer of all law enforcement duties now with the Highway Department and the Secretary of State to the State Police; tighter welfare statutes concerning non-support; numerous changes in criminal law and procedure including a tighter blood test law for drunk drivers; Con-Con consideration of provision for home rule counties, thus broadening the powers of and strengthening local government; and Federal legislation to classify as fugitive fathers who leave the state and refuse support to their children.

The prosecutors also want the Federal Constitution amended to reserve to the states the right to determine rules of criminal procedure.

BITS O' TALK

Tom Gibbons arrived Tuesday of last week from Detroit to spend August with his wife at the Don Weaver home.

Mr. J. N. Miller of Lansing was a guest of the Olin Williams family for a week recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sink and family, Steve, Bob, Mike, Anne, Peter, and Billy, left Saturday for their new home in Cadillac, after being busy for some time in the process of moving. Steve went to Michigan State U. at East Lansing Monday for several days of orientation, and plans to enter State this fall. Bob will be returning to Central Michigan U. at Mt. Pleasant and his brother Mike will enter there as a freshman.

Mrs. Tom Evans and daughters Barbara and Mrs. Robert Druhot, Mrs. Willard Cornell and daughter Barbara, recently spent three days in Detroit. They were finding living quarters for the two Barbars, who will be teaching in the southern part of the state this fall.

Mr. J. J. Sutcliffe and sons, John and Mark of Detroit visited Ann and Agnes Hanson Monday of last week.

Mrs. John C. Bertelsen and son Jeff of Detroit visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Rentschler, on Friday to Tuesday. The Rentschlers' son Lt. John G. Rentschler, his wife and three children, of Ft. Bragg, N. Carolina, spent three weeks visiting them during July.

Miss Valeria Southwell was home from Lansing to visit her parents, for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Rideout left Thursday of last week for their home in Monterey, Calif. after spending several weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Gierling. They expect to take a couple of weeks making the trip.

Mrs. David Warren and daughter Sheri of Michigan spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wood. Mr. Warren joined them for the weekend and took them back with him on Sunday.

The Rev. and Mrs. Jerry Swanson are returning here this Thursday after a 10-day trip to Chicago, Iowa, and Wisconsin doing deputization work before beginning their mission to South America. They took the Rev. and Mrs. Al Johnson's son John with them, and left their daughters Delores and Elaine with the Johnsons while away, their daughter Dawn having spent the summer here at the Johnson home before her parents arrived from Seattle, Wash.

A piece of news regarding the Grayling PTA activities during the summer got buried somewhere at the Avalanche until PTA Secretary Mrs. Harold Dykema reminded Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Konvicka, treasurer of the local group, spent several days during the latter part of June attending a PTA Workshop at the Higgins Lake Training School, a delegate from the Grayling PTA group. She will bring a report of this to the first fall meeting. Our sincere apologies to Mrs. Konvicka.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Richardson and family of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. William Haggard and children of Hastings visited their parents, the Carl Richards, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Post and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sullivan made the boat trip across Lake Michigan to Milwaukee, then drove on to Madison, Wisconsin, the weekend before last.

Mrs. Joseph P. Tyron left last week after spending six weeks with her parents-in-law, the Joseph P. Tyrons at Lake Margrethe. Her husband, A. J. Joseph P. Tyron was here with her during the month of July. They are staying at the airport at Alexandria, La.

Miss Alexandra-Tyron of Lansing spent the week before last visiting her parents, Keith Rathbun of Lansing was their guest also, and the Tyrons' son Tom has been spending two weeks in Lansing doing some summer school work.

Mrs. Cecil Tower's sister, Mrs. Vivian Whitton and son David of Lansing, and David's friend, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Burton of Caro, the ladies' aunt and uncle, visited at the Tower home last week on Wednesday and Thursday.

Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Stealy left last week to attend the Peters Ackerman family reunion at North Baltimore, Ohio, on Sunday, an annual gathering which has been going on for some seventy-five years, the doctor tells us. They stopped at Eaton Rapids to visit Mrs. Stealy's sister, Miss Helen Perkey, and also visited some of the doctor's relatives at Chiloche, returning home the middle of the week.

Mrs. Vincent Kubik is a new employee at the Chief Shoppenagons dining room.

Mrs. Betty Lewis and daughter Cathy of Phoenix, Ariz., were expected to arrive this week to spend some time visiting her sister, Mrs. Joseph Renaud and family. The Renauds' daughter Connie was awarded a scholarship to the Walther League camp, Lullay-Lee, by the voters of Michigan Lutheran church, and will go to camp, which is near Lupton, on August 20th, for a week.

Miss Veronica Hawkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hawkins, also was voted a scholarship to attend the Walther League camp Lullay-Lee, during the week of August 20-26th. Mrs. Joseph Renaud will take the girls to camp and Mrs. Ted Hawkins will bring them home.

Conservation Officer Clarence Roberts and Chamber of Commerce Secretary Manager Robert Hayes put on the program for the Lansing Rotary Club Thursday of last week, showing slides and giving a talk on last year's trip to Camp Grayling Black Lake Saskatchewan made by a group of Grayling men, to sample the lake trout and grayling fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. David Leitner and children Beverly and Andy of Detroit left Friday after spending two weeks on vacation at their Karen Woods home. Mr. Leitner is in charge of a substitution of the Detroit Free Press, handling distribution. Tuesday of last week their friends Mr. and Mrs. Fred Throp of Detroit came to visit them. On Thursday the two fam-

ilies made a canoe trip down the Ausable.

The Walter Skingley family returned to their home in Plymouth Sunday, the 6th, after spending ten days on vacation at the George Skingley guest cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Bell and daughters Katie and Maori Menell of Perrysburg, Ohio, and house guest Fran Atkins are spending some time at Camp Wa-Sum.

Mr. and Mrs. Enos Jennings and granddaughter Debbie Kay of Hazel Park, spent last week at their Lake Margrethe cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Hunter and David entertained Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cohee and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baysinger and children of Bay City Sunday, the 6th, with a canoe trip on the Ausable. In the late afternoon they had a steak fry at Stephan's.

Charles Kroll was in New York on business for the Bear Archery Company for a few days last week.

Mrs. Fred Bear was hostess to sixteen ladies at a 1 o'clock luncheon at her home Tuesday of last week, including wives of officers of the Indiana National Guard, Mrs. Wendell Phillips, Mrs. John Anderson, Mrs. Philip Klotz, Mrs. Jack Hoppes, Mrs. James Jones, Mrs. David Shirley, Mrs. Albert McDaniel, Mrs. John Pearson, Mrs. Roland Knox, Mrs. Harry Sanders and Mrs. James Carter, also Mrs. Charles Kroll, wife of the Quartermaster General of Michigan, Mrs. Charles Kroll.

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Mrs. Collin Campbell and her sister, Mrs. Thoburn Stiles of Hartsville, N. Y., and Mrs. Frank Vest, Jr. of Bedford, Va.

Mrs. S. L. Ballard had as her guest for the weekend, Miss Louise Freyhofer of East Lansing, who taught music at Michigan State for years, and was a college mate of Mrs. Ballard's mother.

Mrs. Eureka Stephan, Bernard Fowler and Robert Hayes attended the Tenth District Township Officers' Association meeting in

Clare on Friday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. A. VanVleet recently returned from a two-week trip to Rochester, N. Y., and Canada. On their way home they picked up their granddaughters, Terri Bernard and Sandra Derickson, for a couple of weeks' visit.

Bob and Gail Ross of Ann Arbor were weekend visitors at the Darwin Shireys' home.

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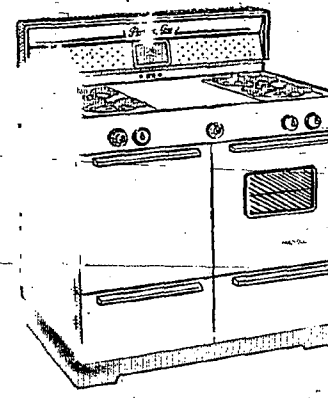


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